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- 1. The Accion Revolucionaria Guiteras (ARG), which was a legal organization in Guba prior to the BATISTA coup of 10 March 1952, has since been functioning clandestinely. When the ARG had legal status it worked actively with the Cuban labor movement and was able to exert considerable influence over the Confederacion de Trabajadores de Cuba (CTC). At present the majority of ARG members work for the Cuban branch of the Agrupacion de Trabajadores Latinoamericanos Sindicalistas (ATLAS) and collaborate fully with the Peronista movement.
- 2. Some CTC leaders in Cuba believe that, even if ATLAS has not achieved an extraordinary development in the Cuban labor movement or within the political field, it is true that it has attracted numerous followers, like the ARG organization, from within 25×1C and outside of the labor movement. This is accomplished through their tactics of "playing friends" with everyone and their willingness to buy support.

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